

Vacant posts in DoT in Madhya Pradesh

† 3141. SHRI DILIP SINGH JUDEV: Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state:

- (b) The number of posts of sub-divisional offices, telephone and junior telecom officers lying vacant as on 31st July, 2000 in Madhya Pradesh telecom zone;
- (c) the names of the places where these posts are lying vacant and since when these are lying vacant;
- (d) the number of newly created posts out of them; and
- (e) the details of the reasons of the posts for lying vacant in Joshpur city (Telecom, Distt. Raigarh) alongwith the dates thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI TAPAN SIKDAR): (a) One post of Sub-Divisional Engineer and some posts of Junior Telecom Officers are lying vacant.

- (b) Some posts are lying vacant since 1996 and some are lying vacant from the dates of their creation.
- (c) The number of newly created posts of Sub-Divisional Engineers are 199. The number new created posts of Junior Telecom Officers is 203.
- (d) One post of Sub-Divisional Engineer has been created on 22.07.99. One officer has been posted on promotion. The officer is yet to join. Two posts of Junior Telecom Officers are sanctioned for Joshpur City. There is shortage in the cadre of Junior Telecom Officers for which action has been initiated for their recruitment.

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